Gandil Profits Little by Trip---Rondeau Retains Charley Horse---Camp Notes

TRAINING TRIP HAS BEEN OF BUT LITTLE BENEFIT TO GANDIL

Cold, Damp Conditions of Training Camp Have Retarded Development of Griff's Big First Sacker.

By LOUIS A. DOUGHER.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., March 23 .- If Chick Gandil does not get away to a good start at the bat this season, he will blame it upon the cold, damp conditions at the training camp here. Right now the big first sacker cannot straighten his throwing arm and he is greatly handicapped in taking his swing at the ball. He is considering a visit to "Bonesetter" Reese at Youngstown on his return to Washington.

"How can my arm get right?" asked Gandil. "I need warm weather to loosen up the ligaments at the elbow, but we'll never see any warm weather here in a million years. I am disgusted with trying in a wind that feels as if it came from an ice box.

"A week of warm weather would give me a chance, but I think I'll have to see Reese, if I am to get into the running this year."

Every winter Gandil's arm stiffens, loosening up only when warm weather comes. It does not interfere with his throwing, but ties him up

PICK'S EAR TROUBLESOME.

A physician had to be summoned last to White put Foster on third and gave The Griffmen were literally frozen off banged a double to right, scoring both Lambeth Field yesterday afternoon. Fester and Gandil.

ture of trying to play baseball under winter conditions. When this happened the Griffmen were ahead, 6 to 1.

Despite the inclement conditions Manager Griffith sent Walter Johnson and Joe Buehling to the blab, each star flinging three innings. Johnson caught a fine young cold as his reward for working in a wind that swept off the neighboring snow-clad hills, but Boehling managed to escape any ill result. Zeb Milan was kept out of the contest because of his cold, Acosta subbing for him, while Eddie Foster was out to let Roy Massey try his hand. Bill Brown also got into the skirmish in place of Danny Moeller, who became an icicle in the fourth in-ning and had to be carried away to

As for the exhibition, it wasn't much. As for the exhibition, it wash that with Johnson and Boehling in the box the collegians were simply outclassed. Johnson, using nothing but medium speed and no curves, allowed three hits. Two came together in the first iming, and when Morgan booted Shrimp and when Morgan booted Shrimp Reviews will be added to the collegiant of the coll and when Morgan booted Shrimp Smith's roller, Berkeley tailied. That was Virginia's only run. Five college boys fanned before Johnson. Boehling was even more effective than Johnson, twirl'ng his three innings without allowing a bingle. The smiling fork-hander slow-balled the Virginians

A physician had to the little infielder is feeling somewhat better today. He is almost deaf, though.

Stickley threw out Morgan, but Shanks

Lambeth Field yesterday afternoon.
When the sixth inning ended Umpire
Altrock shrieked from the middle of a
dust cloud blown around him by the
bitter, biting, blast, "Game's called!"
Then the shivering students clambered
up the stadium steps and the chilled
athletes started on the run for the
dressing room, glad to escape the torture of trying to play baseball under exhibition.

As a result of the contest M. Fer-dinand Martin was kept busy all last night trying to alleviate the pains in the chests and heads of the Griffmen. He early ran out of medicine, so large is his hospital list. Pick suffered all day his hospital list. Pick suffered all day from a severe carache, the result of standing in the biting wind on the diamond. The little fellow isn't complaining but he'll tell you what he thinks of Charlottesville as a training place without much coaxing.

It was only six innings, but down here you can see how it looks on paper. You miss the cold and wind in this:

THE BOX SCORE.

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Johnson, twirl'ng his three innings without allowing a bingle. The smilling fork-hander slow-balled the Virginians to their death.

Moeller's double opeted the clash, Acosta's sacrifice fly scoring him. With two down in the second McBride singled, moved up when Ainsmith was hit by a pitched ball, and scored on Johnson, and Acosta's savage drive to left.

Foster was safe in the third on White's poor toss, and Acosta's hot one

Virginia 100 000-1

Earned runs-Washington, 1; Virginia, 4. Left on bases-Washington, 5; Virginia, 4. Left on bases on balls-Off Johnson, 3; Boehling, 3; Hits on bases hits-Shanks, Moeller, Phillips, Sacri-Base, Moeller, Phillips, Sacri

Henri Rondeau's Chance May Come in Washington

Woonsocket Frenchman's "Charleyhorse" Keeps Him From Showing His Skill as an Outfielder or Batsman-Good Minor League Record Assures Him of Real Test.

By LOUIS A. DOUGHER.

get much of a chance to show his with the Griffmen. The Old Fox knows troit trip is that I can't hit those Great value as a gardener or as a clouter this, and will bide his time till he sees Lake nitchers. The grounds are too rough in a storm. until the morning games are scheduled at Florida avenue, beginning Ramiro Siegile with him here. Now next week. His "charleyhorse" is he can chatter away in Spanish all he still with him, necessitating complete wishes, always assured of an audience. still with him, necessitating complete even if it is but one.

and two good for the circuit. Such slab. work with the stick entitles Rondeau to all respect, and Manager Griffith is hardly going to let him get away without a thorough test. without a thorough test.

fortunately pulled up with "charley-horse" before he had been able to demonstrate his ability in any way. The continuing damp, raw weather "Dorf." has hindered his recovery so much has hindered his recovery so much that it now begins to look as if he midseason style in the field. In the would have to wait for the practice morning yesterday they worked three games in Washington before getting his chance.

One worked three plays, every one going through like eleckwork.

One worked three valuable for the Nationals last season?

"I'm sorry to be unable to play," said Repert Thormanica got into the Henri yesterday, after pulling up hance morning game for first time in days again, "because I kept in line shape and delivered the goods, even though all winter in the hope of making a teuched up for five blows and two steady job for myself this season in tens. The young southers bears all Washington. Here I am, hardly able to the carmarks of developing into a big walk without pain, and utterly useless leaguer, and the Old Fox will grobably in a uniform. It's sure rough luck." And him a job, keeping a string at-

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., March trial, even if it does come a bit late: 23.—Henri Rondeau, the outfielder obtained from Minneapolis, may not attention to watching Rondeau in action, before recommending blue for that kind information. Now, who do you think is the finest the Minneapolis club, devoting all his shortstop in the American and Nation, before recommending blue for their

est.

Rondeau played excellent ball for one Cantillon's club last year, finishing the fitting is sure to fall off on that account. Jim Shaw, Joe Engel, the last and when in the last account. Jim Shaw, Joe Engel, the last and when in the last account. Joe Cantillon's club last year, finishing the year with a batting average of .308 on 157 bingles. Thirty-seven of these were doubles five triples of these were doubles, five triples, invincible while they officiated on the

The Woonsocket Frenchman un-ball get away from him, and Zeb was ortunately pulled up with "charley-off for second. Though apparently lanta you'd think he'd have enough sense to change that first name of his.



Interview With McBride

By "BUGS" BAER.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, March 23.—Base- displayed excellent judgment in not ball fans will feel an intense interest in the starting their season in January.

following interview with Cap Mc-Q.—Do you think the Federals will invade Washington?
A.—Invade Washington? I'm not strong on history, but I thought the Bride, the taciturn shortstopper, Cap is generally as loquacious as the wellknown clam, in fact this interview will Federals defended it. doubtless be gobbled up by the Smithsonian Institute, whose experts are al-

Q.-I am not referring to the civil war, llow do you think the Federal League will come into Washington?
A.-At the regular rate. Two cents ways on the hunt for rare curios. Like the oyster, Cap only opens his mouth at meals. With the possible exception of Dummy Taylor, McBride is Q.—Thank you. Now, were you even the recipient of an offer from the the quietest man who ever featured in the big leagues. An interview with him ederal League? therefore is scarcer than oats in a garage. Heretofore, evasive and wily

Q-Do you think that you will have a

there is no doubt that we will finish in October with the other teams.

Q -Can't you be more exact? Where

A .- I haven't seen this season's sched-

ule, but I think we will finish at home.

Q.-Who, in your judgment, is the most popular man on the Washington

A.-Fowler. Q.-Fowler: I didn't know he was a

A.-lie's not. He's the bird who dishes out the pay envelopes.

Q.-Do you think that Frank Baker

is a better batter than Walter Johnson

I think Alva Williams is a better base-runner than Joe Engel is a bitter.

Q.-Thanks for that kind information.

Now, who do you think is the finest

A .- What I don't like about the De-

Q .- What the public desires to know is

Q .- Do you think the Nationals infield

Q.-Which is the hardest position on the baseball field?

Q.-Much obliged for generous enlight

nent. Now what do you think of Griff's

this year?
A -Now that Grantland Rice is in At-

Q.-But he isn't a National. Doesn't

O .- What do you think of the war?

A -1 think that General von Hinden-

Not that war. The baseball war.

-Oh! I think the Federal League around the low spots in the infield,

A .- That's the reason.

will you or Douglass Neff play short this season?

A .- There is no doubt about it.

is as valuable as the Athletics?

A.—Yez and no.

A .- Standing on your head.

successful season, captain?

I never declined any offers. Q .- Did you ever receive any A.—I never accepted any offers.
Q.—Did you ever receive any?
A.—I never yet have been able to in answering leading questions, Cap has doffed his robe of taciturnity and has ondescended to settle some questions secure a fountain pen that would which have perturbed baseball fans for

which have perturbed baseball fans for many seasons.

We cornered Cap on the running track, which hasn't any corners, but that was passed up in the subsequent interview—

Q—Do you think that you will have a secure a fountain pen that would start on combustion.

Q.—Will you answer my question? Did you ever receive any offers from the Federal League?

A.—These English suits are all right for slim men, but a fat man has to buy three before he has one.

A .- Without a doubt, I think it will A.—Without a doubt. I think it will four information. Now, who do you be the best season i have had this out for the American League pen-Q.-What do you think of the Na- land, St. Looey, Chicago, Detroit, and tionals' chances for copping the Ameri-New York.

A.—I think they have a better chance of winning the American League pennant than they have copping the National League flag.

Q.—Be more explicit, Cap. Where do you think we will finish in the American League?

A.—Well if we get the breaks I think. A.-Well, if we get the breaks. I think pean ri here is no doubt that we will finish in served.) rights to this interview re-

Rookies and Regulars

quard, long a headline attraction, will play the 'small time' this spring on his way back to New York. Manager McGraw sald today the second string of Giants would start north tomorrow. Rube goes with them.

of winning the pennant last year Judge Bartholomew alleges that club is in an embarrassed financial c dition and is losing money every d He further alleges that he has been formed that the corporation continued to the corporat

DAYTONA, Fla.-Having trimmed the A -I can't answer that question, but Athletics a few times, the Superbas are primed for their series with the Cuban Stars, which start today. Joe Chabek, a rookle pitcher who worked five inhings yesterday, attracted Manager Robilities, but it is a faultless twiring. inson by his faultless twirling.

n the first of the two-game series. HOT SPRINGS, Ark.—The Weather Man is playing a strong hand against Manager Carrigan, and again prevented the rookies and regular Red Sox battling out a practice game.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.-The Phillies left here today for the third and last game with the Cubs at Tampa. Alex-ander, who will probably twirl four in-

A.-I never chew, drink nor swear.

O.-Do you think you will hit over .500
this year?

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this year?

TAMPA-Oft has it been said that a team "put the game on ice." The Cubs did yesterday, putting the Havana Reds, 15 to 1, with little frozen puddles bedecking the field. SACRAMENTO Cal-The Sox are

here today for a game with the locals. Ray Schalk appeared with his hand bundled up, the result of a foul tip received in Stockton yesterday. SHREVEPORT, La.-A seven-inning buttle was on tap today between Tink-er's regulars and Yans-if the ice melted

KAHOE IS OFF

Mike Kahoe is today taking his first peak at the new members of the ball club at Charlottesville. He left Washington this morning on the same train with the Georgetown baseball team, which is going to Georgia, and dropped off the train at Charlottesville.

My trip has no significance," said Kahoe, "I merely want to see how some of the kids I recommended to Griff are coming along with their training." Kahoe will also probably consult with Griffith as to where some of the excess material on the roster of the club will be farmed this season.

Q.—Thank you ever so much for your information. Now, who do you have the Nationals and the Nationals a HALED INTO COURT

Suit Filed to Throw Pennant Winning Club in Receivers' Hands.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 23.—Alleging that the Indianapolis club of the Federal League is insolvent, Pliny W. Bartholomew, former judge of the superior court and a stockholder, brought suit to place the club in the hands of a receiver.

He alleges, in addition to an indebted to the stockholders for the non-payment of 6 per cent dividends on \$50,000 worth of stock, and this in spite of winning the pennant last year

of winning the pennant last year Judge Bartholomew alleges that the formed that the corporation control ling the club is about to dissipate its property and assets by transferring the club to unknown parties without in any way providing for or securing the payment to its stockholders or debtors of rums already due them.

The case will be heard tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock before Judge Vincent G. Clifford, of the superior court.

SAVANNAH, Ga.—The Yankees were fervently hoping for good weather today. A cold snap yesterday forced them into the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. The workout on a board floor didn't make a filt.

MACON, Ga.—To hold down your job on the champion team, you fellows will have to pile up a dozen runs the first six innings, was the admonition of fracie Man Stallings when his Braves attacked Billy Smith's Atlanta Crackers in the first of the two-game series. ignapolis citizens were able to lift indebtedness from the club and j it on a firm financial basis in all p ability it would be transferred to som

Wears Broad Smile

left here today for the third and last game with the Cubs at Tampa. Alexander, who will probably twirl four innings, declared more than one surprise is packed away in their patbags.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla.—With the return of the Daytona section of the Athletics, Connie Mack has his full squad here. If weather permits the local Jacksonville team will be the goat for the Mackmen this afternoon.

TAMPA—Oft has it been said that a team "put the game on ice." The Cubs is chemically a scheduled at Indianapolis club is scheduled at Indianapolis club is scheduled at Indianapolis club is scheduled at Indianapolis today, said Mr. Gilmore. "They will determine whether to accept the offer of the league to buy the francise. If they conclude to sell, we will be able to go ahead with our schedule meeting, without waiting for a decision. The Cubs is the circuit troubles of the Federal League were bright today, according to a statement by James A. Gilmore, proposed the Indianapolis club is scheduled at Indianapolis club is scheduled at Indianapolis today, said Mr. Gilmore. "They will determine whether to accept the offer of the league to buy the francise. If they conclude to sell, we will be able to go ahead with our schedule meeting, without waiting for a decision. in the Kansas City injunction case,

Practice Results

Griff Regulars, 6; Plebe s. : White Sox, 10; Portland, 6. Braves, 13; Atlanta, 5. Indians, 8; Waco, 4. Superbas, 7, Athletica, 6,

"Line-Up Is Not Settled," Claims Manager Griffith

Old Fox Declares War Correspondents Are All Wrong in Saying That Old Team Is to Start Campaign-Moran Can Have No Hold Upon Sieglie Under Baseball Laws.

By LOUIS A. DOUGHER.

23 .- "You fellows are all wrong in Pat Moran, manager of the Philadel-phia Nationals, can have no claim on Ramiro Sieglie. Under baseball rules a thinking that my line-up has already been picked, and that the team as now playing practice games will start the season," is the astonishing statement of Manager Griffith. "My team is by no means settled. I may have a different line-up by the time we open the American League campaign.

"Just because I have seen fit to keep last year's team intact for our workouts here means little or nothing. I have always said that, as soon as a player shows himself betready been picked, and that the team

soon as a player shows himself better than a regular, he takes that regular's place. I mean it, too. I have three weeks remaining before the curtain goes up. I may change my team in that time. Keep this in mind, please, or I'll fool you."

Manager Griffith was led to make this statement in reply to one that the team was practically picked for the coming campaign and thus offered little to the dope artists, auxious to weave pretty. dope artists, anxious to weave pretty

The players are eagerly looking fortales of the possible new faces to be ward to leaving Charlottesville, not one seen in the line-up this coming season.

Prayerthales of the players are eagerly looking for the praising it for anything. Some of the Nevertheless, it is difficult to see where the earnest youngsters are to hammer their way into the fold this spring. While Charlie Pick and Douglass Neff are promising athletes, neither seems able to force out either Morgan or McBride. Morgan bids fair to be the Morgan of 1912, thus crowding Pick out

with the willow. Gandil looks in good shape and, as soon as his arm loosens up, he'il begin pasting the nill in old-time form. Thus the infield is determined upon so long as the quartet keeps up its present good work.

Mitan, of course, is a fixture in the garden. He is the team's one consistent 300 hitter and ranks as one of the four best outfielders in the American League. Though not as a good a fielder as Milan, Moeller is equally fast and is hitting well for this time of the year. Moeller hits in streaks. When going good, he is a demon. When not hitting, he is always dangerous because of his ability to take walks and then travel aroundat top speed on some other chap's bingles. It is hard to see how Moeller is to be crowded out.

The one loophole left seems to be in teff field, now occupied by Hank Shanks. Competition exists among quite a bunch for Shanks' berth as a regular. Merito Acosta seems to be the leading candidate, but Roy Massey, Charle Pick, and Henri Rondeau may also get into the running. Pick is an infielder, but his hitting proclivities and his speed make him a possibility. Massey is green, but may flash to the front. Rondeau has not been in shape to show his real class, and is well nigh certain to be retained until he has had an opportunity to show what he can do in the outfield.

What Shanks does against the Nature and the Most Talked-of Play of the Century.

What Shanks does against the Na What Shanks does against the National League teams may have much bearing on his future. If he begins to hit better, he may have the honor of starting the campaign in left field. If he shows the same old weakness of constautly going after bad ones, he may enjoy the game from the bench, looking at Acosta or one of the others in action.

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of the running. Fateem Foster never of the running. Fateem Foster never has been in danger. Neither has Chick Gandil, though it was runnored that Rippy Williams might hold down the bothering him less this spring than in initial sack because of his strong work years, with the willow. Gandil looks in good

portunity to show what he can do in

One thing is apparently determined, anyhow. Manager Griffith has not yet selected his line-up. Let the good fight

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